# **Moose Specific Information**

#### **Definitions**

- Antlered Bull any moose having an antler or antlers of at least four inches in length measured from the top of the skull.
- Antlerless a female or juvenile male with an antler or antlers less than four inches in length measured from the top of the skull. FWP suggests hunters not take a moose with a calf at side.

## **Licenses and General Information**

- An applicant who receives a moose license is not eligible to apply for or receive another license for moose for the next succeeding 7 years (see reference chart).
- License holders may legally take one moose subject to all specifications on the license issued.
- Hunters harvesting a moose must leave evidence of sex naturally attached to the carcass.

7 Year Wait	
Year Successful	Year May Reapply
2005	2013
2006	2014
2007	2015
2008	2016
2009	2017
2010	2018
2011	2019



## SuperTag Lottery for Moose

- Resident and nonresident hunters can buy an unlimited number of \$5 chances to win a Montana hunting license for antelope, bighorn sheep, bison, deer, elk, moose, mountain goat and mountain lion.
- An individual may be successful in winning one or a combination of these SuperTags per year.
- Each SuperTag license allows one to hunt in any Montana hunting district valid for that species.
- Moose, bighorn sheep and mountain goat 7-year waiting period does not apply to SuperTags.
- Chances are sold electronically at all FWP License Providers or via the Internet.
- Proceeds from the sale of SuperTag chances will enhance public hunting access and boost FWP enforcement efforts.
- For more information visit FWP's website at fwp.mt.gov.

### **Moose License Auction**

- Legislation authorizes the Fish, Wildlife & Parks Commission to provide for the auction of a moose license each year. This license authorizes the hunter to take an antlered bull moose in any district of his/her choice. This license is not a part of the seasons proposed and if this license holder is successful, the moose will not be counted against the district quota. This license holder may hunt only in areas open to moose hunting.
- The auction is held annually during the winter by a conservation organization that is preselected by the FWP Commission.
- Hunting is authorized for the next hunting season, not the current years' hunting season.
- Money raised through the license auction is used for management of moose.

# **Moose HD Regulations**

Residents are eligible to apply for any of the following licenses. Nonresidents are restricted to certain districts. Nonresidents are limited to, but not guaranteed 10 percent of a region's quota. Districts where nonresidents may apply are listed on the moose, bighorn sheep, mountain goat nonresident application, but may change when final quotas are set in June.

--- HD 100 West Yaak ---

100-20: 12 licenses.

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• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                         --- HD 101 Purcell ---
101-20: 12 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                         --- HD 102 Eureka ---
102-20: 14 licenses.

    Sept 15 - Nov 25

                   - Antlered Bull Moose.
                       --- HD 103 Ten Lakes ---
103-20: 3 licenses.

    Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose.

              --- HD 104 West Cabinet Mountains ---
104-20: 5 licenses.

    Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose.

              --- HD 105 East Cabinet Mountains ---
105-20: 20 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.
                      --- HD 106 Fisher River ---
NOTE: Libby Big Game Archery Only Hunting Area restricted to
ArchEquip Only. See "Area Closed or Limited to Hunting Methods
to Big Game."
106-20: 12 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                       --- HD 110 North Fork ---
110-20: 12 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                       --- HD 111 Tally Lake ---
111-20: 10 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                        --- HD 112 Blacktail ---
112-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                    -- HD 121 West Clark Fork ---
121-20: 4 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                   --- HD 122 Thompson River ---
122-20: 4 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                       --- HD 125 Black Peak ---
125-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                       --- HD 126 CC Divide ---
126-20: 1 license.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                          --- HD 130 Swan ---
                                CLOSED.
                   -- HD 140 Lower South Fork ---
140-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25

    Antlered Bull Moose.

                      --- HD 141 Middle Fork ---
141-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.
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HD 150 Upper South Fork	HD 302 East Big Hole
150-20: 1 license.	302-10: 1 license.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlerless Moose.
HD 210 Lower Rock Creek-Schwartz Creek	302-20: 2 licenses.
210-20: 4 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 303 Crazy Mountains
HD 211 Upper Rock Creek	303-10: 2 licenses.
211-20: 2 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlerless Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	303-20: 6 licenses.
HD 212 Flint Creek Range	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
212-20: 4 licenses.	HD 304 Portal Creek
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	304-20: 4 licenses.
HD 214 Mill Creek-Georgetown Lake 214-20: 1 license.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 306 Porcupine-Buffalo Horn
•	310-20: 1 license. Valid in HD 306, 307, or 310
HD 215 East Deer Lodge 215-20: 2 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 307 Sage Creek
•	310-20: 1 license. Valid in HD 306, 307, or 310
HD 220 South Superior 220-20: 3 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 308 West Fork - Hellroaring
HD 230 Lolo-Fish Creek	308-20: 4 licenses.
230-20: 4 licenses.	<ul> <li>Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose.</li> </ul>
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 309 Cabin Creek
HD 240 West Bitterroot	309-20: 3 licenses.
240-20: 3 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 310 Taylor Fork
HD 250 West Fork Bitterroot	310-20: 1 license. Valid in HD 306, 307, or 310
250-20: 3 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 311 Hyalite-Squaw Creek
HD 261 East Bitterroot	311-20: 5 licenses.
261-20: 2 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 312 Bridger
HD 270 East Fork Bitterroot	312-20: 3 licenses.
270-20: 3 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 313 Spanish Peaks
HD 280 North Blackfoot	313-20: 5 licenses.
280-20: 2 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 314 Upper Yellowstone-West
HD 285 Lower Blackfoot	314-20: 6 licenses. Beattie Gulch portion of HD 314 as posted, subject to closure to all hunting on 24-hour notice.
285-20: 2 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	·
HD 291 East Garnet Range	HD 315 Bear Canyon-Trail Creek 315-20: 6 licenses.
291-20: 2 licenses.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 316 Hellroaring-Cottonwood
HD 292 West Garnet 292-20: 3 licenses.	CLOSED.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	HD 317 Buffalo Fork
•	CLOSED.
HD 293 Upper Blackfoot 293-20: 2 licenses.	HD 318 Slough Creek
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	CLOSED.
•	HD 319 Fleecer
HD 300 Medicine Lodge-Lima Peaks 300-10: 7 licenses.	319-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlerless Moose.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
300-20: 8 licenses.	HD 320 Tobacco Roots
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	320-10: 3 licenses.
HD 301 Horse Prairie	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlerless Moose.
301-10: 3 licenses.	320-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlerless Moose.	• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.
301-20: 5 licenses.	HD 321 Fishtrap
• Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose.	CLOSED.

#### --- HD 322 Upper Stillwater ------ HD 340 Highlands ---340-20: 2 licenses. The Cooke City Moose Closure area shall be closed to the hunting of moose. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. 322-20: 2 licenses. --- HD 341 High Rye ---341-20: 2 licenses. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. --- HD 323 South Big Hole ---323-10: 5 licenses. --- HD 350 Whitetail- Bull Mountains ---• Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose. 350-20: 3 licenses. 323-20: 6 licenses. Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose. Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose. --- HD 360 East Madison ---360-20: 5 licenses. --- HD 324 Wise River-Grasshop ---324-00: 1 license. Only valid in Grasshopper Drainage portion of HD. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. • Nov 15 - Dec 15 - Either-sex Moose. --- HD 361 East Hebgen ---324-10: 3 licenses. 361-20: 5 licenses. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. 324-20: 6 licenses. --- HD 362 West Hebgen ---• Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. 362-20: 2 licenses. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. --- HD 325 Seymour-Deep Creek ---325-20: 2 licenses. --- HD 380 Radersburg --- Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose. Note: Boundary change. --- HD 326 North Fork Big Hole ---380-10: 2 licenses. 326-20: 2 licenses. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose. Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose. 380-20: 5 licenses. --- HD 327 Ruby Creek-Yank Swamp ---• Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. 327-20: 3 licenses. --- HD 382 Butte-Basin ---• Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. 382-20: 3 licenses. --- HD 328 Eagle Creek-Bear Creek ---• Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. CLOSED. --- HD 390 West Big Belt Mountains ------ HD 329 Upper Yellowstone East ---Note: Boundary change. 329-20: 5 licenses. 390-20: 2 licenses. Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose. Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose. --- HD 330 Gravelly ------ HD 415 Summit-North Fork Birch Creek ---330-10: 2 licenses. 415-20: 3 licenses. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose. 330-20: 3 licenses. --- HD 494 East Big Belt-West Little Belt Mountains --- Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose. 494-00: 6 licenses. --- HD 331 Ruby --- Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Either-sex Moose. 331-10: 5 licenses. --- HD 496 East Little Belt-Castles-Snowy Mountains ---• Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose. 496-00: 4 licenses. 331-20: 8 licenses. Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Either-sex Moose. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. --- HD 513 Fishtail-Fiddler Creek-Stillwater ------ HD 332 Blacktail ---513-20: 3 licenses. 332-10: 5 licenses. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose. --- HD 514 Rock Creek ---332-20: 8 licenses. 514-20: 4 licenses. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. Sept 15 - Nov 25 – Antlered Bull Moose. --- HD 333 Centennial ------ HD 515 Clarks Fork ---333-10: 1 license. CLOSED. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose. --- HD 516 Boulder ---333-20: 2 licenses. 516-20: 3 licenses. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose. --- HD 334 Red Rock-Odell ------ HD 600 Hi-Line ---334-10: 6 licenses. Red Rock Lakes NWR closed to Moose hunting until Oct. 15. NOTE: Moose may be difficult to find. • Nov 15 - Dec 15 — Antlerless Moose. 600-00: 2 licenses. 334-20: 5 licenses. Red Rock Lakes NWR closed to Moose hunting until Oct. 15. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Either-sex Moose. • Sept 15 - Nov 25 — Antlered Bull Moose. --- HD 335 Helena-South ---335-20: 3 licenses.

• Sept 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.